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COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)					Docket No. FUR0011-US																																											
In Re Application Of: SEIICHI TENPAKU ET AL.																																																
Application No. 09/678,544	Filing Date October 4, 2000	Examiner LERNER, Martin	Patent No. 28970	Group Art Unit 2654	Confirmation No. 6515																																											
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<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u> This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>2/10/2005</u> in the above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center; font-size: small;">Date</div> The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start; margin-top: 10px;"><div style="text-align: center;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month</div><div style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> Two months</div><div style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> Three months</div><div style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> Four months</div><div style="text-align: center;"><input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: flex-start; margin-top: 10px;"><div style="text-align: center;">from: <u>May 10, 2005</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div></div><div style="text-align: center;">until: <u>June 10, 2005</u> <div style="text-align: center; font-size: x-small;">Date</div></div></div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 20px;">Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</div> The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below: <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 10px;"><thead><tr><th colspan="6" style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">CLAIMS AS AMENDED</th></tr><tr><th style="width: 15%;"></th><th style="width: 15%;">CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT</th><th style="width: 15%;">HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR</th><th style="width: 15%;">NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT</th><th style="width: 15%;">RATE</th><th style="width: 20%;">ADDITIONAL FEE</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>TOTAL CLAIMS</td><td style="text-align: center;">12 -</td><td style="text-align: center;">20 =</td><td style="text-align: center;">0</td><td style="text-align: center;">x \$25.00</td><td style="text-align: center;">\$0.00</td></tr><tr><td>INDEP. CLAIMS</td><td style="text-align: center;">5 -</td><td style="text-align: center;">5 =</td><td style="text-align: center;">0</td><td style="text-align: center;">x \$100.00</td><td style="text-align: center;">\$0.00</td></tr><tr><td colspan="5" style="text-align: right; padding: 5px;">FEE FOR AMENDMENT</td><td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">\$0.00</td></tr><tr><td colspan="5" style="text-align: right; padding: 5px;">FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME</td><td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">\$60.00</td></tr><tr><td colspan="5" style="text-align: right; padding: 5px;">TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</td><td style="text-align: center; padding: 5px;">\$60.00</td></tr></tbody></table> <div style="margin-top: 20px; font-size: small; padding: 5px;">06/10/2005 SDENB0B1 00000022 09678544 62 FC:2251 60.00 OP</div>							CLAIMS AS AMENDED							CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	TOTAL CLAIMS	12 -	20 =	0	x \$25.00	\$0.00	INDEP. CLAIMS	5 -	5 =	0	x \$100.00	\$0.00	FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00	FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$60.00	TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$60.00
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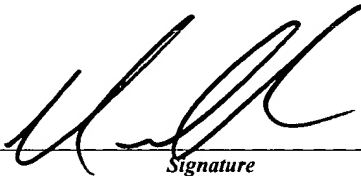
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

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